

<223> Peptide containing specific amino acid sequence of MMP-2 flanked by  
cysteine at the amino and carboxy termini

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Cys Ile Phe Ala Gly Asp Lys Phe Trp Arg Cys

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REMARKS:

Attached herewith are the following: a substitute computer-readable disc containing the Sequence Listing for the above-noted case generated by FastSEQ for Windows Version 4.0 software in the text format, a printout of the Sequence Listing and a statement verifying its contents and verifying that the content of the paper and computer-readable copies of the Sequence listing filed herewith are the same. No new matter has been added.

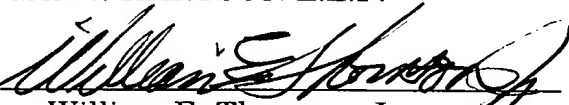
A copy of the Notice to Comply is enclosed herewith, as requested by the Examiner. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 50-1314.

If for any reason the Examiner finds the application other than in condition for allowance, the Examiner is requested to call the undersigned attorney at the Los Angeles, California telephone number (213) 337-6700 to discuss the steps necessary for placing the application in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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